

CAUSE NO. _____

THE STATE OF TEXAS
VS.

IN THE _____ JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT OF
TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

**WRITTEN ADMONITIONS ON INELIGIBILITY TO POSSESS FIREARM OR AMMUNITION AND INSTRUCTION ON
INELIGIBILITY TO VOTE IN STATE OF TEXAS**

FIREARMS

NOTE: THIS ADMONITION (WARNING) **ONLY** APPLIES TO PERSONS CONVICTED (NOT DEFERRED ADJUDICATIONS) OF FELONIES, AND CERTAIN VIOLENT MISDEMEANORS, ON THIS CASE, **OR ON A PREVIOUS CASE.**

In accordance with Texas Administrative Code §176.1, the Court hereby admonishes you of the following:

1. You are, by entry of order or judgment, ineligible under Texas law to possess a firearm or ammunition.
2. Beginning now, if you possess a firearm or ammunition it could lead to charges against you. If you have questions about how long you will be ineligible to possess a firearm or ammunition, you should consult an attorney.
3. Under Texas Penal Code §46.01(3): a. **“Firearm”** means any device designed, made, or adapted to expel a projectile through a barrel by using the energy generated by an explosion or burning substance or any device readily convertible to that use
b. **“Firearm”** does not include a firearm that may have, as an integral part, a folding knife blade or other characteristics of weapons made illegal by Penal Code Chapter 46 and that is (1) an antique or curio firearm manufactured before 1899 or (2) a replica of an antique or curio firearm manufactured before 1899 but only if the replica does not use rim fire or center fire ammunition.

The statutes listed below are a starting point for ineligibility to possess a firearm or ammunition. For more information about the laws that make you ineligible to possess a firearm or ammunition, or for more information on how long your ineligibility to possess a firearm or ammunition lasts, the Court recommends you contact an attorney.

- Code of Criminal Procedure Article 17.292 – Magistrate’s Order for Emergency Protection
- Code of Criminal Procedure Article 42.0131 – Notice for Persons Convicted of Misdemeanors Involving Family Violence
- Penal Code §46.02(c) – Unlawful Carrying Weapons
- Penal Code §46.04 – Unlawful Possession of Firearm
- Penal Code §25.07 – Violation of Certain Court Orders or Conditions of Bond in a Family Violence, Child Abuse or Neglect, Sexual Assault or Abuse, Indecent Assault, Stalking, or Trafficking Case
- Family Code §85.026 – Warning on Protective Order

VOTING

WRITTEN INSTRUCTION ON INELGIBILTY TO VOTE IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

NOTE: THIS INSTRUCTION **ONLY** APPLIES TO PERSONS CONVICTED (NOT DEFERRED ADJUDICATIONS) OF FELONIES, ON THIS, **OR A PREVIOUS CASE.**

If you are convicted of a felony, you will not be eligible to register to vote in this State. To regain eligibility to vote after conviction of a felony, you must fully discharge your sentence (including any term of incarceration, parole, or supervision), complete the period of probation ordered by any court, or be pardoned or otherwise released from the disability to vote.

Date Signed: _____

Defendant

DEFENDANT'S COPY

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